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Suicide prevention is very important. I have dedicated the last 24 years working in the field at a designated agency. Most of those years in crisis. There are so many people that can be help by prevention and understanding the need. I loss my brother to suicide at a time when stigma about mental health was a barrier to treatment. The more we educate the more lives we can say.

Thank you for your time,

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